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Hiroshi Kashino et al.

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For: ELECTRIC POWER GENERATING
ELEMENT FOR LIQUID FUEL CELL,
METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME,
AND LIQUID FUEL CELL USING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please consider the following amendments
and included remarks.